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PROSPECTUS.

THE undersigned, believing that a cheap daily Whig newspaper at the seat of Government would prove a valuable auxiliary to the Whig cause during the approaching Presidential contest, will publish, on the first Monday in November next, a thorough and decided Whig paper, entitled,

THE WHIG STANDARD,

devoted to the principles and policy of that party, as laid down in the following declarations by HENRY CLAY:

1. "A sound National Currency, regulated by the will and authority of the Nation;
2. "An adequate revenue, with fair protection to American Industry;
3. "Just restraints on the Executive Power, embracing further restrictions on the exercise of the Veto;
4. "A faithful administration of the Public Domain, with an equitable distribution of the proceeds of the sales of it among the States;
5. "An honest and economical administration of the General Government, leaving public officers perfect freedom of thought, and of the right of suffrage, but with suitable restraints against improper interference in elections;
6. "An amendment of the Constitution limiting the incumbent of the Presidential office to a single term."

To this announcement we believe every true and ardent Whig will favorably respond. The hearts of the Whig army, whose ranks were unbroken, and whose banners floated unstricken during the campaign of '40, must, everywhere, swell with glorious pride at the memory of the past, and their hopes encouraged by their joyful anticipations of the future. It is true, a nightmare of treachery now rests upon the energies of the party; but shall we not arouse to the importance of the political conflict which is about to ensue? There are at this time few opposition papers at the Seat of Government, each, in its way, endeavoring to sap the foundations of the Whig party, and blasting the prosperity of the country by the measures they propose. Shall we not rally against the foes excited by these emissaries, whose corrupt and atrocious motives are manifest by their early wrangling for spoils which they never can win? We know the response of millions of freemen will be "AY, RALLY!" Already the "hum of either army stilling sounds;" already the general furnishing of arms "gives dreadful note of preparation;" then let us be a bright and death-dealing sword in the conflict. Let us rally under a leader upon whose standard is inscribed "Liberty, Order, the Constitution;" whose great political and personal virtues endear him to every generous heart, and whose patriotism has never been excelled—let us rally for HENRY CLAY, the Statesman and Sage, the friend of the workingman, the idol of his country, which, for forty years, next to his God, has had his chief care.

In addition to the thorough Whig course which this paper will pursue, its readers will be furnished with the earliest local intelligence of the city and District, and the general news of the day.

The daily hour of publication will be 4 o'clock in the evening; and during the session of Congress a synopsis of its proceedings will be given up to that hour, by able reporters; enabling us thus to transmit abroad, through its columns, whatever of interest may transpire, at the earliest hour.

THE WHIG STANDARD will be published, daily, at 10 cents per week, payable to the carriers.

The paper will be mailed to subscribers out of the District, at \$5 per annum, payable invariably in advance, or for a shorter period at the above rate.

As soon as the Presidential campaign shall be fairly opened, a weekly paper, at one dollar for the campaign, will be published for country circulation.

P. S. All communications by mail must be post paid, or they will remain in the post office.

JOHN T. TOWERS.

CHARLES S. WALLACE,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR.

NO. 6, WEST WING, CITY HALL.

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DANIEL CAMPBELL, late Polkthorn & Campbell, Saddler, Harness, and Trunk maker, Pennsylvania avenue, five doors east of Gadsby's hotel, continues to manufacture Saddles, Brides, Carriages, Waggon, Cart, and Plough Harness, Trunks, Valises, and Saddle Bags, of all kinds. Military equipments made to order.

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Where may be found all the French School books now in use, and sold at very low prices. nov 6

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REAM.—For sale, ruled cap and letter paper at \$1 50 per ream; cheap blank and memorandum books; Russia quills; copy books; and cheap school stationery; for sale by WM. F. BAYLY,

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nov 6—6m Penn. av. between 11th and 12th sts.

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WILLIAM THOMPSON,

nov 6—eod1w Office cor. 6th st. and Lou. av.

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5 pieces figured and watered black velvets

20 pieces striped changeable silks

10 pieces figured, striped, and plain black silks

20 pieces colored and black Alpaca lustré

20 pieces wide French bombazines

100 pieces mouselines de laine, latest style, from 25 cents to 1 dollar

50 pieces Chusans, beautiful patterns

100 very rich colored satin shawls

Cashmere, Thibet, and mouseline shawls, a large supply

6 elegant silk velvet shawls

1 carton satin scarfs, a beautiful article

5 cartons silk fringes, colored and black

250 blanket shawls, from 50 cents to \$4 50

Gloves, silk and cotton hosiery, &c.

STAPLE GOODS.

50 pieces superfine and medium cloths, from \$1 50 to \$7 per yard

50 pieces assorted cassimeres

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20 pieces merino vestings, rich and splendid

10 pieces black satin and velvet vesting

10 dozen heavy lambwool shirts and drawers

5 dozen lambwool jackets for ladies

50 dozen lambwool half hose

25 dozen gentlemen's hosiery gloves

HOUSE FURNISHING ARTICLES.

20 pieces heavy 10-4 and 12-4 Russia sheetings

10 pieces 8-4 and 10-4 Russia table cloths

5 dozen damask tablecloths, from 2 1/2 to 6 yds long

150 pair Whitney blankets

50 Marseilles quilts, some of superior quality

20 pieces handsome curtain muslins

150 pieces curtain calicoes, &c.

Together with almost every article in the Dry Goods line.

nov 6—1m R. C. WASHINGTON.

FRESH DRY GOODS.—Just received, in addition to my former stock—

Black, blue, and gray cloths, at very low prices

Beaver and pilot cloths, from 75 cents up

Fancy and plain cassimeres

Cassinets, Kentucky and Glenrock jeans

FLANNELS.

White, red, and yellow, at all prices, from 20 cents up

BLANKETS.

Rose, Whitney, and point blankets, at very low prices

DOMESTICS.

Bleached and brown sheetings and shirtings

Bleached and brown Canton flannels

Bedticks, checks, and plaid cottons

LADIES' WEAR.

Rich crape Parisiennes

Rich figured and plain mouselines

Blue, black, and colored Alpaca

Black and blue-black silk velvets

French and German merinoes

Calicoes at all prices, from 6 to 31 cents

Very rich embroidered thibet and merino shawls

Cashmere, cloth, silk, and blanket do

HOSIERY.

Alpaca, cashmere, lambwool, silk and cotton hose and half hose

GLOVES.

Kid, buckskin, merino, silk, and cotton gloves

SHIRTS AND DRAWERS.

Ipswich and Angola shirts and drawers

WOOLLENS.

Yarns, white, gray, and random

Woolen comforts and chenille boas

Ladies' and children's worsted net caps

Suspenders, scarfs, linen bosoms and collars

TRIMMINGS.

Gimps, fringes, laces, silk and wash thules

Coat bindings and cords

Narrow satin lustrings and velvet ribands and rich bonnet ribands

Infants' socks, cotton laces, and white and black waddings

Together with almost every article in the dry goods line.

Ladies and gentlemen are respectfully invited to give me a call, as I am determined to sell at small profits in order to make quick sales. Don't forget.

WM. R. RILEY.

nov 6—3t Cor. 8th st. and Cen. Market Space.

GREAT NEWSPAPER AND PERIODICAL

DEPOT, adjoining Beers' Temperance Hotel, Pennsylvania Avenue, between 3d and 4th streets.—GIDEON BROOKE would respectfully call the attention of his friends, and the public generally, to the large collection of books that are to be found at the Literary Depot, all of which are in the cheap form—

Alison for one dollar! Just published, in one large and splendid volume, octavo size, on new and beautiful long primer type, Alison's History of Europe, from the commencement of the French revolution in 1789, to the restoration of the Bourbons in 1815, abridged for the use of the general reader, and also for colleges, academies, and other seminaries of learning, by Edward S. Gould, Esq.

Blackwood's Magazine for October. Contents—1. Mill's Logic. 2. My Country Neighbors. 3. Travels of Kerim Khan. 4. The Thirteenth, a Tale of Doom. 5. Reminiscences of Syria. 6. The Fate of Polyartes. 7. Modern Painters. 8. A Royal Salute. 9. Physical Science in England. 10. Chroniques of Paris—the Rue St. Denis. 11. The Last Session of Parliament—price 18c.

Just published, the Monthly Serial Supplement to the New World for October. Contents—1. Arrah Neil, or Times of Old, by G. F. R. James, Esq. 2. Modern Chivalry, or a New Orlando Furioso, by W. H. Ainsworth. 3. The Life and Adventures of Martin Chuzzlewit, by Charles Dickens. 4. L. S. D., or Accounts of Irish Heirs, by Samuel Lover. 5. Letterings of Arthur O'Leary, by Charles Lever, Esq. One dollar a year, in advance—single numbers 12c.

To the world! Read! Read! A tremendous excitement has been produced in Paris, and throughout all France, by the publication in numbers of the Mysteries of Paris, a novel, by Eugene Sue, to be completed in 10 numbers, at 15 cents each.

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To the young men of the United States, of all parties, all creeds, all callings. Only one dollar for eleven hundred octavo pages, with three engravings! The Life and Speeches of Henry Clay, complete in two volumes, of over 1,100 large pages, with three engravings—the whole for \$1.

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New original novel, by Edward S. Gould. The Sleep-Rider, or the Old Boy in the Omnibus, by the Man in the Claret-colored Coat. This is believed to be the first successful attempt in our language to produce a complete story after the manner of Sterne. The limitation of that great humorist, however, extends no further than to the general plan. The entire detail of the work, its incidents, descriptions, and reflections, will be found as purely original and quite as entertaining as any modern work whatever. The scene is laid in a Broadway Omnibus, where several honest citizens are introduced as passengers, and undergo a series of adventures so astonishing, that, if not strictly true, they would be incredible. The work is diversified by illustrations of temperance, grammar, thunder-storms, matrimony, sub-treasures, water-works, coroners' inquests, and animal-magnetism. "The hits at the times" are given in the richest vein of quick humor, and the reader who fails to weep at the pathos, and roar at the drollery of this novel production must be made of "sterner stuff" than we are—price 25 cents.

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From the New York Tribune.

THE WHIG REVEILLE.

The old alarm rings round the land,
And thrills in every heart.

And gathers now a mighty band
To play a mighty part.

The smouldering fires again relume
That led us through a night of gloom.

Where swelling Mississippi's tide
Sweeps on his sullen way,

Or, smiling to his sunny pride,
Flashes in joyous play,

Brave Louisiana's sons still bear
Our glorious standard proudly there.

Where cloud-throned Allegany bends
His misty locks to hear

His thunder echo, as it sends
That name so doubly dear,

Through Pennsylvania's glad domain,
Th' unbroken phalanx forms again.

The gray-haired 'hero,' dark and sad,
Within the Hermitage,

Hears, with a sullen start, the shouts
Of freemen round him rage,

And feels, poor desolate old man!
How joyless the career he ran.

From North to South, from East to West,
Whig hearts are swelling high—

Rekindling hope in every breast,
And light in every eye.

The dark night fades—the morn appears,
And breaks away the gloom of years.

Oh noble hearts, yet falter not,
Nor linger on your way!

Be worthy your exalted lot—
Worthy the name of CLAY.

More have your deeds to make or mar
Than Bunker Hill or Trafalgar!

REPEAL OF THE UNION.

BY T. HOOD.

It was a fine, clear, moonlight night, and Mike Mahoney was strolling on the beach of the Bay of Bealreagh—who knows why? perhaps to gather *dhoolamun*, or a crab, but thinking intensely of nothing at all, because of the tune he was whistling—when looking seaward he saw, at about a stone's cast from the shore, a dark object which appeared like a human head. Or was it a seal? or a keg of whiskey? Alas! no such good luck! The dark object moved like a living thing, and approaching nearer and nearer into shallow water, revealed successively the neck and shoulders of a man.

Mike wondered extremely. It was a late hour for a gentleman to be bathing, and there was no boat or vessel within leandering distance, from which the unknown might have swam. Meanwhile the stranger approached, and the gliding motion of the figure suddenly changed into a floundering, as if having got within his depth, he was wading through the deep mud.

Hitherto, the object, amid the broad path of silver light, had been a dark one; but diverging a little out of the glittering water, it now became a bright one, and Mike could make out the features, at least as plain as those in the moon.

At last the creature stopped, a few fathoms off, and in a sort of "fortin voice," such as the Irishman had never heard before, called to Mike Mahoney. Mike crossed himself, and answered to his name.

"What do you take me for?" asked the stranger.

"Divil knows," thought Mike, taking a terrible scratch at his red head, but he said nothing.

"Look here thin," said the stranger; and plunging head downwards, as for a dive, he raised and flourished in the air a fish's tail, like a salmon's, but a great deal bigger. After this exhibition had lasted about a minute, the tail went down, and the head came up again.

"Now you know, of course, what I am?"

"Why, thin," said Mike, with a broad grin, "axing your pardon, I take it you're a kind of half-Sir."

"True for you," said the Merman, for such he was, in a very melancholy tone. "I am only half a gentleman, and it's what troubles me, day and night. But I'll come more convenient to you."

And by dint of great exertion, partly crawling, and partly shooting himself forward with his tail, shrimp fashion, he contrived to reach the beach, when he rolled himself close to Mike's feet, which instinctively made a step back in retreat.

"Never fear, Mike," said the Merman, "it's not in my heart to hurt one of the finest peasantry in the world."

"Why, then, you'd not object, may be," inquired Mike, not quite reassured, "to cry O'Connell for ever?"

"By no means," replied the Merman, "or success to the rent."

"Faix, where did he learn that?" muttered Mike to himself.

"Water is a good conductor of sound," said the Merman, with a wink of his round, sky-blue eyes. "It can carry a voice a long way—if you think of Father Mathew."